

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING MARCH 11, 2019 at 6:00 p.m.

The meeting was opened by announcing this was an open meeting of the Common Council. Notice of this meeting was given to the public at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting by forwarding the complete agenda to the official City newspaper, The New Richmond News, and to all news media who have requested the same as well as posting. Copies of the complete agenda were available for inspection at the City Clerk's office and on the City's website at www.newrichmondwi.gov. Anyone desiring information as to forthcoming meetings should contact the City Clerk's office.

Roll call was taken.

Council Members Present: Mayor Horne, Aldermen Kittel, Ard, Jackson, Montello, Volkert and Zajkowski

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Alderman Ard moved to adopt the agenda as presented, seconded by Alderman Jackson and carried.

GTAC Video Demonstration

Chief Yehlik explained the Police Department has been researching replacement of the car video systems. Our current system is outdated and replacement parts and repairs have become nearly impossible. The Public Safety Committee asked the Police Department to look into advanced technology to include officer worn cameras. A team of officers evaluated a number of vendors and recommended to the Public Safety Committee to begin the purchasing process of GTAC systems to include in car camera systems with compatible body cameras. The Public Safety Committee also requested a demonstration be given to the full Council. The Public Safety Committee also asked for NRPD to begin looking at policy changes and storage costs for the camera footage.

A representative from Northland Business Solutions gave a demonstration of the squad cameras and the officer worn cameras. Discussion followed. Alderman Montello moved to have the Police Department continue investigating the squad cameras and body cameras as shown tonight, seconded by Alderman Jackson and carried.

Chief Yehlik also demonstrated the Viridian firearm mounted camera. This was for informational purposes only for future budgeting.

Communications and Miscellaneous

None

Alderman Ard moved to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Alderman Jackson, and carried.

Meeting adjourned at 6:58 p.m.

Tanya Batchelor
City Clerk